

Remarks

The Official Action mailed October 19, 2005 allowed claims 1-26 and objected to the Specification and Drawings. Applicant has amended the Specification. Issuance of the present application is respectfully requested.

Specification Objections

Applicant amended paragraphs [0011], [0014], and [0026] as instructed by the Official Action. However, in regard to paragraph [0007], Applicant deleted reference numeral "164" instead of changing it to "174". This change is similar to the change made in paragraph [0026]. Applicant requests the objections to the Specification be withdrawn in light of the present amendments.

Drawing Objections

The Official Action objected to the Drawings for failing to show air inlet 468 as described in the specification. However, Applicant respectfully points out that air inlet 468 is depicted in FIG. 4a. Applicant respectfully requests the present objection to the Drawings be withdrawn.

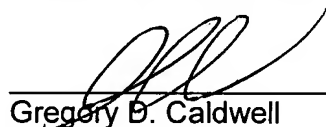
Conclusion

The foregoing is submitted as a full and complete response to the Official Action. Applicant submits that all remaining claims are in condition for allowance. Reconsideration is requested, and allowance of all remaining claims is earnestly solicited.

Should it be determined that an additional fee is due under 37 CFR §§1.16 or 1.17, or any excess fee has been received, please charge that fee or credit the amount of overcharge to deposit account #02-2666. If the Examiner believes that there are any informalities which can be corrected by an Examiner's amendment, a telephone call to the undersigned at (503) 439-8778 is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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